

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PRIOR APPLICATION OF:

GROUP ART UNIT: 1661

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APPLICATION NO: 10/706,714

EXAMINER: Kizilkaya, Michelle R.

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CONFIRMATION NO: 7181

FOR: *Lobelia* Plant Named 'Loboudtis'

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of March 24, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests reexamination and reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following substitute specification and remarks. Entry of the substitute specification is respectfully requested and cancellation of the specification of record is herewith authorized.

In the Office Action Summary, the Examiner has not indicated whether the drawing filed on November 12, 2003 with the instant application is accepted.

Confirmation of acceptance of the drawing is respectfully requested.